

# THE CENTRAL RECORD.

TWENTY SEVENTH YEAR.

LANCASTER, KY., THURSDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 14, 1916.

NUMBER 37.

## SOME THINGS To Be Thankful For

That our prices on Stoves are reasonable.  
That our goods in any line are the best.  
That we are thoroughly prepared to supply all orders, and  
That it pleases us to please you.

**CONN BROS.**  
LIVE AND LET LIVE FOLKS.

## YOU CANT HAVE A MERRY XMAS Without Good Eatables and Lots of Them.

If you had all the money there is, you couldn't buy any HIGHER GRADE GROCERIES than those that we are handing out these days. Have all the obtainable FRUITS FRESH & dried.

RAISINS, CURRENTS, CITRON, FIGS, DATES,  
ORANGE AND LEMON PEEL, PINE APPLE,  
AND SPICES OF ALL KINDS FOR CAKES.

The freshest OYSTERS that there are. COF. FEES that are unbeatable—In fact everything to eat and everything just as it should be for Christmas. We are waiting to wait on you.

**Currey's**

## TO-NIGHT IS PARAMOUNT NIGHT

at

### Romans Opera House

Jesse L. Laskey Feature Company presents  
The Metropolitan Grand Opera Star,

Geraldine Farrar  
IN  
Temptation.

### FRIDAY NIGHT.

MISS BILLIE BURKE,  
The Star Supreme; in

'Glorias Romance'  
FIVE BIG REELS.

Why not have a municipal Christmas tree?  
"Bibi" at the Auditorium next Tuesday night.

Just eight more shopping days until Xmas. Buy it now.

The great distinctive time of the year is only ten days off.

Don't miss the Parcel Post sale at the Court House tonight.

Every ingredient needed for Fruit cake can be found at Hall's. 21.

Feed and flour, cotton seed meal, etc. for sale by Hudson, Hughes & Farnau.

Mr. Scott of Lincoln county recently bought a farm of Mr. J. V. Gastineau and Son at Hyattsville.

The play at the school Auditorium next Tuesday night is for the benefit of the school library. Don't miss it.

Lime, sand, cement, rock screenings, brick, salt and coal.

Hudson, Hughes and Farnau.

You can get your Christmas gifts at the Parcel Post sale tonight. Lend your presence and help out a good cause.

BAZAAR: Miss Lena Bright will conduct her annual bazaar at her residence on Maple avenue Friday and Saturday of this week.

QUALITY AND SERVICE FIRST. We guarantee our flour to please you or money back.

Hudson, Hughes and Farnau.

Some dandy picture are being shown this week at Roman's opera house. Geraldine Farrar tonight and Billie Burke tomorrow night.

A program of a splendid play appears in this issue of the Record and will be shown at the Paint Lick school Friday night, Dec. 22nd. Paint Lick has some good talent and we predict a good crowd.

During the holiday season Berea will unite in celebrating the Christmas time. A large evergreen tree has been selected and this will be made a tree of light. About it all the citizens of Berea will gather at the vesper hour and join in a musical program celebrating the holy season.

The high cost of living will curtail somewhat the bestowing of extravagant gifts, but the shoppers are busy already and those with leisure time and who are expert with the needle, the palette and brush, and the different sorts of deftness are turning out lovely things with which to remember their family and friends.

### DOCK LEE BUYS FARM.

Mr. H. D. Lee and son James Lee have recently purchased the farm of J. L. Hamilton, known as the John White place, containing 87 acres for \$75.00 an acre. Mr. James Lee will occupy the farm after January 1st.

### LUTHER HERRON

Named As Chief Marshall, And Buck As Superintendent Of Water Works.

A good crowd was on hand last Monday night at the meeting of the City Council when it became known that the appointment of Chief of Police and the Superintendent of the water works would take place at that meeting. Only two nominations were made for the Marshalship, Mr. Gregory nominating Mr. Herron and Mr. Dalton nominating Mr. W. S. Carrier. When the vote was taken, Gregory, Cotton, Amon and Goodloe voted for Herron, while Dalton and Zanone voted for Carrier. The naming of Mr. Herron seems to meet with the general approbation of the public, for many think he made one of the best marshals the town has ever had. After the election he was the recipient of many congratulations. The names of O. Buck, Harry Anderson, Bruce Lawson and J. A. Beazley, were placed in nomination for the office of Superintendent and Tax collector, but upon the call of roll it was seen that Mr. Buck had the appointment by acclamation, the entire council voting for him. Friends of Mr. Buck say for him that he has made the best tax collector the town has had in recent years and the result is that both appointments seem to meet with popular favor.

Mr. R. H. Batson protested masterly and strongly against the council granting a permit to Haselden Brothers erecting a garage on the lot recently purchased by them and which adjoins the residence of Mr. Batson on Lexington street. Two petitions were filed signed by numerous citizens along that street and another petition signed by many patrons of the Graded School claiming that it would be a detriment and dangerous to the many children that pass that point on their way to and from school. No action was taken, for it was announced by Attorney J. E. Robinson that an application for a permit had never been asked for officially by Haselden Bros.

### BANKS CLOSED

#### CHRISTMAS DAY.

As has been the custom for many years, the banks of the city will all be closed for business on Christmas day, which also is County court day in Lancaster.

### DEPENDABLE

#### OPTICAL WORK.

If you are in need of glasses, consult the Byrne Optical Service at the Kengarian Hotel, Lancaster Ky. Dec. 18th to 23rd.  
J. J. Byrne,  
Exclusive Optician.

### A BREAKFAST

#### BACON RECIPE.

A Missouri farmer who built up a good meat business uses the following recipe, which is especially fine for breakfast bacon. Salt, fifteen pounds; brown sugar, three pounds; powdered borax, one pound; black pepper, one pound; saltpeter, one fourth of a pound. Mix thoroughly, place in a large pan on the stove and keep warm enough so that you can just hear your hand in it. With this mixture rub the meat on both sides until it sweats. Apply all the mixture that will possibly stick. Pack the meat away in barrels or boxes for ten or twelve days; hang and smoke with hickory wood or corncobs until a nice straw color is obtained. This may hang all season without trouble from flies or bugs. The side meat will have the same flavor as breakfast bacon, and the joints the same flavor as sugar-cured meat.

### STEALS BUGGY

While Owner Is In Church.

Harvey Davis charged with taking a buggy from in front of the Methodist church last Sunday, without the owners consent or knowledge and appropriating it to his own use, was tried before county Judge Arnold last Monday morning and held over to await the action of the grand jury and his bond placed at \$250. The buggy proved to be Mr. Siss Moss' and was practically new. Davis claims he bought the buggy from another party.

### POCKETS A BOX

Of Shells And Draws A Fine Of \$20.

Fred Ollis pocketed a box of shot gun shells belonging to H. D. Lee and Son, last Friday, while Mr. Lee was in the rear of the store, but some one from the street saw the theft and reported the matter to Mr. Lee. Ollis had departed however but he was captured on the square and taken before Judge Arnold who immediately gave him a fine of \$20 and costs. He gave bond and we understand now he has left for parts unknown.

### SCHOOL PLAY

At Auditorium Next Tuesday Night.

The school play "Bibi" will take place at the school auditorium next Tuesday evening, an announcement of which appears in this issue of the paper. This is thought to be one of the best plays ever attempted by the local talent at this place and will be under the supervision of Mrs. Todd, the teacher of expression here, which fact alone should insure a crowded house. Reserved seats are on sale at McRoberts drug store and they are only 35 cents where the general admission will be 25 cents, for children under 14 years, 15 cents.

### HOPKINS FAMILY

In Bad. Parents And Child In Jail.

William Hopkins who recently moved here from Berea, together with his wife and small 3 year old child, have gotten in bad and now all three are languishing in jail, the child however being innocent of any charge. Will Hopkins decided that a small shaggy dog belonging to Mrs. Katherine Conn Tinsley, should be put out of business and took a crack at it last Sunday afternoon right on the public highway of Campbell street which created no little excitement with the result that Hopkins was arrested for shooting on the public highway and was brought before Judge Frisbie, of the Police Court, who gave him a fine of \$100 and 30 days in jail. It seems that Mrs. Hopkins has also developed a little bad blood and she was arrested charged with pointing a deadly weapon at Ed Adams. She too was brought before Judge Frisbie and was immediately fined \$50 and costs. Being unable to pay or replevy their fines they were sent to jail together with their three year old child. Hopkins asked for a private cell for his family which was granted by the accommodating jailer, Mr. Ross. Hopkins has been running an eating establishment on Campbell street and selling soft drinks.

You are Invited to attend  
the grand opening of

## HOLIDAY GOODS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16.

**Haselden Bros.,**

Lancaster, - - - Kentucky

## Christmas FRUITS & CANDIES

### CHRISTMAS

Presents in Hand Painted China & Glassware.

### CHRISTMAS

Presents in Tableware and Aluminumware.

**DAVIDSON & TOMLINSON**

## High School Play BIBI

Given by Expression Department of Lancaster Graded and High School.

SCHOOL AUDITORIUM  
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1916

at 7:45 p. m.

Proceeds go to Library Fund.

General Admission 25c, Reserved Seats 35c.  
Children 14 and under 15cts.

Biggest Line Of

## Christmas Gandies

—Ever In Lancaster.

Everything in the Toy line  
direct from Toyland.

Oranges, Apples, Bananas, Nuts.

**H. D. LEE & SON,**  
Record Building.



## He Considered Himself Smart

By BARBARA PHIPPS

I was talkin' with Mandy Simmons t'other day. I was tellin' her about my crops, just how much wheat I'd tuk in, how much corn and produce, and ended up by confidin' to her that I'd put in the bank more'n \$100 over and above expenses, livin' and all that. Mandy's a nice gal. I wouldn't 'a' told anybody else what I told her. It seemed like I was tellin' it to myself.

"Land sakes, Mr. Barnickel," said Mandy, "how tight you do stick to yer farm and yer crops and the money yer puttin' in the bank! Ain't y' ever goin' to think about gettin' married and havin' some one to leave all yer fortune to when y' die?"

"Somehow I'd never thought o' that. I'd felt t'osome-like evenin's now and then, and when I'd had a stroke o' luck I felt kind a-like tellin' some un about it. That's the reason why I told Mandy how much profit I'd made durin' last season. I says to Mandy when she talked about my gettin' some un to leave my earnin's to, says I:

"I dunno any gal as would have me, and a man can't marry unless he's got a gal."

"Why, Mr. Barnickel," says Mandy. "I don't reckon you'd have any trouble on that score. I was standin' lookin' at a gal t'other day, and she said some-ple to me. I couldn't hear what it was, but somehow I reckoned it was about you. I asked her to write it down, and she did. What do you a'pose it was?"

"I dunno."

"It was 'I wish Jeb Barnickel would propose to me.'"

I was tuk dat back. I didn't know any gal that had even looked at me that a-way. I asked Mandy who the gal was, but she wouldn't tell me. She chuckled and said I might ask her three questions, to which she would answer truthfully, provided I didn't ask the gal's name. I began by askin' her where she was when she was talkin' to the gal, and she said she was in the livin' room at home. Then I asked her why she couldn't hear what the gal said, and she answered that there was glass between her and the other gal.

"Oh," I says, "she was standin' out on the porch or in the yard, and the window was shut down."

Mandy didn't say nothin' to this, but she larfed fit to kill herself. I'd asked her two questions and had one more to ask. The only thing I could think of for this last question was, "Where was the gal when she writ down what you said she did?" I asked her this, and she said the gal was in the same room with her.

"I don't want her," says I.

"Why not?" asked Mandy, serious like.

"Cause she must be deaf and dumb."

With that, Mandy like to split her sides larfin'. I didn't like bein' made fun of that a-way, and I looked it. With that, Mandy looked sorry and sidled up to me and cuddled me a little, and she says, says she:

"Mr. Barnickel, it wouldn't be right for me to give a gal away like that. But I'll tell you what I'll do. She often comes to see me Saturday evenin's. If you'd care to drop in some Saturday evenin' if she comes in, you'll see her."

"That's fair," says I. "I'll come next Saturday. How will I know when a gal comes in she's the gal that was talkin' to you?"

"Oh, I'll put you on," says Mandy, and with that she went away, with a spark in her eye and a smile on her lips. She looked so pretty that I kinda wished she and I was keepin' house together and there wasn't any other gal had anything to do with it.

Saturday night I put on my store-clothes and a holled shirt and went round to Mandy's. She seemed glad to see me, but she said she didn't reckon the gal I wanted to see would drop in. She sat by me on the sofa and told me that if I had anything on my mind I felt like gittin' off I was welcome to do it.

Furth' the sofa was an old fashioned desk or library or suthin' with a lookin' glass on it. We could see ourselves in the glass. I asked Mandy what part o' the room she was in when the gal said what she did to her. Mandy said she was sittin' on the sofa.

"I thort the gal was outside," says I.

"If you was sittin' on the sofa you couldn't see any one outside."

Mandy chuckled.

"You couldn't see nobody unless y' saw yerself in the lookin' glass you der."

Mandy didn't say nothin' to this; she looked down at her knees and smoothed her dress with her hands.

"Do y' think the gal'll drop in to-night?" says I.

"I dunno," says Mandy.

"Well," I says, "I don't keer whether she does or not. I'm mighty well satisfied to be with you, Mandy. If you say so I won't wait for t'other gal. Any time you want to murry me and come and take keer o' my house you kin do it."

"Oh, Mr. Barnickel," she says, "you have spoke too late. The other gal's here."

"Where is she?" says I.

"Look in the glass."

I reckon it was downright smart o' me to see what she meant. It didn't rite me a bit. Why should it? I'll tell y'. It was 'cause she and the other was one nial the same gal. I wonder if she hadn't been talkin' to herself in the glass.

# UP - Up - UP

Goes the Average on the Danville Tobacco Market

100,000 Pounds Bring Record Average of

## \$18.00

Garrard County Responsible for some of the High Prices.

W. M. Hendren, of Garrard, average \$20.75

G. B. Huffman, of Garrard, average \$19.25

John White, of Garrard, - average 17.10

J.J. & W.D. Walker, Garrard average 19.36

R. L. Elkin, of Garrard, - average 17.50

A. M. & Ed Bourne, Garrard, average 17.75

## PEOPLES TOBACCO WAREHOUSE CO.

Danville,

Incorporated,

Kentucky.

I. M. DUNN, President.

ALLEN HEIATT, Assistant Manager.  
Walnut Street Warehouse.

JESSE W. OVERSTREET, Ass't Mgr.  
Peoples Tobacco Warehouse.

JOHN S. VAN WINKLE, Secretary.

# One Eye.

Keep one eye on this space of the Central Record and you will not regret it.

We have told you many times about our good stock of Lumber and Building Material of all kinds, but yet have not been able to command words to make you appreciate how complete this is, and you will not become a booster for us until you try us and then you know.

We have told you about our complete stock of FIELD SEEDS and many of you have tried these and expressed your satisfaction by sending your neighbors to purchase from us.

We have told you of our stock of FURNITURE and BUILDERS HARDWARE and your out-spoken words of praise have been walking advertisements for us on this line.

We have told you of our FLOUR and the housewives have said many good things about our judgment on GOOD FLOUR.

We have talked with you about our stock of mixed and compounded STOCK FOODS and many farmers have now larger bank accounts since they have listened to us.

We said we were going to have some useful articles suitable for XMAS GIFTS and these are finding good sale with pleased customers.

Listen:--If you want to get better acquainted with us, clip this advertisement from your paper and bring it to us within ten days and we will give you FREE, a useful Household article. Do this now.

## Hervey & Woods

Paint Lick, Kentucky.

## Retaliation

By ETHEL HOLMES

Hodkins & Co. was the name under which a large dry goods store was run. There was a great deal of what is called leakage in the store—that is, a certain proportion of all the goods brought into it was taken out, not by legitimate means.

One of the junior partners, Mr. Watkins, was given carte blanche to do as he liked.

One evening in a pile of paper that had been used for wrapping goods that had been tucked under a counter to be carried out were found some valuable boxes. They were of linen, bulk and readily concealed. The counter was attended by Helen Sayre, a girl of nineteen. The morning after the discovery she was sent for by Mr. Watkins and accused of having placed the boxes where they were found with a view either to hide them to avoid detection or to make them away later.

The girl could not explain how the boxes she said were—came to be where they were instead of in the boxes where they belonged. She was bewildered and tongue tied. Watkins turned her over to the police and prosecuted her for theft. Since no one had seen her take the goods he did not expect to convict her, he simply desired to make an example of her by disgracing her. She was acquitted, but every clerk in the store knew that her arrest was a bitter punishment and a warning to them.

The morning after her acquittal a young man called at Mr. Watkins' private office.

"What can I do for you, sir?" asked Watkins.

"You can give me \$10,000."

"What for?" asked the dry goods man in amazement.

"A wedding present for Helen Sayre, whom you have publicly disgraced. You may call it a wedding present or an atonement or anything you like, but the money must be forthcoming. The real thief, being conscience-stricken, has confessed by letter that she stole the goods in question and, seeing a doorwalker approaching, mixed them up with some castoff wrapping paper and threw them under Helen Sayre's counter."

"If Miss Sayre has such a letter as that she will be restored to her position and the thief will be prosecuted."

"You will not be permitted to see the letter. Helen Sayre does not intend to return to her position. She will be married to me this evening. I will be pleased to take her the wedding present I have mentioned."

"Nonsense, man! If you have come here to bluff me you may take yourself away or I will call a policeman to eject you."

"I came here to make a demand," said the young man, rising, "and venture the prediction that in less than one year you will comply with it."

With this the speaker withdrew.

Six months passed, and Mr. Watkins had forgotten the incident when his daughter, eighteen years old, was walking through the aisles of Hodkins & Co.'s store, when she was accosted by a woman, who said she would like to speak to her in private. Miss Watkins, surprised, followed the woman to a secluded place, where the latter relieved her of her reticule, opened it and removed several boxes containing articles of jewelry. To the astonished girl she said:

"You were in Nevins' jewelry store this afternoon, were you not?"

"I was."

"You stole those articles. I happened to see you take them. I know who you are. You are the daughter of a member of this firm. He would not like the matter made public. If you will go home you are welcome to do so. Tell your father that he will receive a visit this evening from one authorized to arrange to keep this matter quiet."

The woman left the girl, taking the reticule and its contents, and Miss Watkins hurried to her father's office and, hurrying into tears, told him what had occurred.

"Oh, papa," she cried, "don't condemn me! Indeed, I am innocent."

Mr. Watkins called a conveyance and took his daughter home.

That evening a man called on Mr. Watkins. He said that he was from Nevins' jewelry store. A woman had reported that she had seen Miss Watkins take certain articles of jewelry from Nevins' counter and slip them into her reticule. If the jewels were returned the matter would be hushed up.

But both the reticule and its contents had passed from Miss Watkins' possession.

"What are the jewels worth?" asked Mr. Watkins.

The man handed him a memorandum of the articles, with prices footing \$10,000.

Watkins saw that either he must pay for the lost jewels or his daughter would be published and prosecuted as a thief. He would have hired detectives to ferret out what he knew to be a conspiracy, but the representative of Nevins' told him that the matter was without their control and unless the property was paid for those who had accused his daughter of the theft would publish it at once, and they had plenty of evidence to send his daughter to the penitentiary.

He paid the bill.

The jewels were eventually returned to Nevins & Co. in exchange for \$10,000.



# DIAMONDS

## OF VARIETY

## AND VALUE.

# Caskey Jewelry

## COMPANY.

(SUCCESSORS TO A. K. LYON)

127 West Main.

Lexington, - Kentucky.

### BUCKEYE

Mr. A. C. Miles was in Nicholasville Friday.

Mr. Oscar Ray has purchased a new Ford car.

Miss Jenkins of Newby is visiting Mrs. Nath Hogle.

Mr. Morris Cahoon of Nicholasville is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Price visited Mr. and Mrs. Mai Carter recently.

Mr. Nick Schaefer was a recent guest of his sister, Mrs. Jasper Noel.

Mr. Otis Ray Hogle was at home from the K. E. S. N. for the week-end.

First patent flour in sacks or barrels, Hudson, Hughes & Farnau.

Mrs. Marlon Brown visited her sister, Mrs. Doulo at Bryantville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Carter entertained quite a number at dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sanders and Mrs. Houston Gailley were in Danville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carter and children were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carter.

Mr. Frank Pierce has returned to his home in Louisville after a visit to his daughter Mrs. Oscar Ray.

Misses Minnie Pearl Brown, Willie Ray and Mr. Holman Duncan were the guests of Miss Barbara Gailley.

Miss Lana Schaefer returned to her home at Kirksville last week after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Jasper Noel.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Haney, Misses Iva Roney and Minerva Cox and Dr. W. H. Pryor were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Ray.

Rev. D. F. Sebastian of Georgetown delivered two very excellent sermons at the Baptist church here Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning.

The friends of Miss Minnie Pearl Brown gave her a Storm Party at her home Thursday evening. It was a very

enjoyable affair and quite a number present.

Mrs. Robert Long and son, Willie P. and Mrs. Lige Ray and daughter, Miss Inez, went to Danville Monday. Miss Linda Locker came home with them from the D. and D. Institute to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Branson Locker.

Mr. John McCulley died at his home near here Monday afternoon, December 4th, at two o'clock. He was about 45 years of age and a member of the Baptist Church at this place. He was first married to Miss Lucy Ray who preceded him to his grave about 15 years ago. To them were born three children, a son, Clarence, being the only one now living. His second marriage was to Miss Minnie Noel and to them were born five children whom are all living and left to mourn the loss of a devoted husband and father. He also leaves a father Mr. Josiah McCulley and stepmother and three brothers, Messrs. Lewis, Raymond and Willie. McCulley and a host of relatives and friends. He was laid to rest in the cemetery here.

### CONVINCING TESTIMONY

Given By Many Lancaster People.

Experiences told by Lancaster people—

Those who have had weak kidneys—Who used Doan's Kidney Pills—Who found the remedy effective—Such statements prove merit.

You might doubt an utter stranger. You must believe Lancaster people. Here's Lancaster proof. Verify it. Read, Investigate. Be convinced. You'll find why Lancaster folks believe in Doan's.

J. H. Dalton, farmer, Crab Orchard St., Lancaster, says: "A year or two ago, I had trouble with my kidneys. My back ached and was sore and lame. My kidneys were irregular in action. I bought Doan's Kidney Pills at R. E. McRoberts' Drug Store and used them. The backache left me and my kidneys were soon put in good order. I have had no return of the trouble."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Dalton had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo N. Y. 12-11-21.

### CARTERSVILLE.

Mrs. J. T. Allen continues very ill. Miss Eva Merryman visited home folks last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Allen entertained a number of friends last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Green were guests of Mr. Clarence Green last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Crutcher were guests of her mother, Mrs. Eliza Conn.

Mrs. Addie Geotry and daughter Clara of Wallacetown were guests of Mrs. Susie Renfro last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bluffard Jennings were guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Allen last Saturday.

Mrs. Mattie Green of Lancaster was the guest of her brother, Mr. Sam Davis last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. S. M. and Ruth Davis and Miss Susie Davis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Davis last Tuesday.

Cremo Dairy Feed will make your cows give more milk. It is a balanced ration of merit. For sale by Hudson, Hughes & Farnau.

Mrs. Susie Renfro and Miss Loma Allen and Mrs. Ruth Davis and daughter, Susie, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jennings, last Thursday evening.

### HOW RED CROSS SEAL IDEA CAME INTO BEING

Originating in Norway, Method Was Taken Up Here Nine Years Ago.

Over \$3,250,000 has been raised by Red Cross Christmas Seals in the last eight years, and yet many people who will buy these holiday stickers at this month's annual sale do not know how this idea originated.

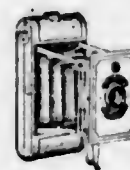
While Red Cross Seals really date back to the Civil War when "Charity Stamps" were first used, the first campaign to sell holiday stickers for the tuberculosis fight was only nine years ago in Delaware. Miss Emily P. Bissell of Wilmington read an article by Jacob Rills describing stamps used for tuberculosis work in Norway; and she conceived the idea of a similar plan here. Single humped, she launched a sale which resulted in \$3000 clear money. When Miss Bissell tried to convince the American Red Cross that this idea should be made national as a peace activity of that society, she met with opposition, but finally persuaded the authorities, with the result that on an investment of a few hundred dollars \$135,000 worth of Seals was sold in 1908 and the great national campaign was launched. Since then the sale has gone forward by leaps and bounds, until now the Red Cross Seal is an institution in the United States, and offers to every one a chance to help in the people's fight against the people's disease. Last year over 75,000,000 Seals were sold, and this year the American Red Cross and The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, who conduct the sale, are out for a 100,000,000 sale or \$1,000,000 for the Tuberculosis War.

The policy on which the sale is conducted is that the money, except for the deduction of legitimate expenses, shall remain in the community where the Seals are sold.

# XMAS SUGGESTIONS.



## Stormes Drug Store.



### CAMERAS

We have the Ansco line at \$2.10 to \$25.00 Simple and reliable and a joy all year.



### BIBLES

beautifully bound in flexible leather Large print American and King James version.

### FLASH LIGHTS.

—the American Ever Ready 75cts to \$3.00. The world standard for safety and satisfactory service.

### THERMOS BOTTLES

—for the Automobile, picnic and sick chamber. Hot 24 hours—cold 36 hours.

### FOUNTAIN

A fountain made that don't leak. Write as smooth as velvet. \$1.00 up to \$6.00 and guaranteed for three years.

### PENS.

### WHITE

### PARISIAN IVORY

—in Combs, Brushes, Mirrors Puffs, Puffers and many small articles, now so extensively used on the toilet table.

### TOILET ARTICLES.

—all the leading creations in imported and domestic Toilet Waters, Extracts, Face Powders, Creams.

Azurea, Ijor Kiss, Mary Garden, Roger & Gullet, Huznut, Melba and Colgate.

### PIPES

—we have them from 25 cents to \$5.00. In cases and loose. Something always acceptable.

### CIGARS

—packed in 25 and 50 to the box, imported and domestic. Men love good cigars like women love pretty flowers.

## EATON'S HIGHLAND LINEN

Packed in artistic boxes at 30 cents to 80 cents.

### CANDY

Huylers and Guthrie in comparable art boxes at 50 cents to \$1.00.

### CUT FLOWERS.

Place orders early for cut flowers. Early orders insure better stock and better service.

# Madison Tobacco Warehouse

## COMPANY.

Incorporated

Near L. & A. Depot.

CAPITAL \$40,000.00

Telephone 371.

### DIRECTORS

E. C. Million,

T. J. Curtis,

Dr. C. H. Vaughn,

Ed P. Million,

Marion Coy.

J. M. Haden,

E. Deatherage.

# SOME FIRST WEEKS SALES.

Ed Broadbush 1350 lbs for \$265.96, average \$19.70

Broadbush & Host 4715 lbs, 920.16, average 19.52

J. J. Hellamy 1420 lbs, 29.95, average 20.56

Arbuckle & Coy 3770 lbs, 721.02, average 19.13

Williams & Prather 2330 lbs 103.09, average 18.08

Curtis & Kelly 1570 lbs 306.95, average 19.55

Curtz & Ward 2070 lbs 414.12, average 20.43

H. E. Cotton 1575 lbs for \$294.78, average \$18.48

L. Murphy 1535 lbs for 279.38, average 18.29

John Miller 1100 lbs for 209.02, average 19.00

Warmuth & Samlers 1420 lbs 275.67, average 19.41

L. C. Rowlett 1434 lbs for 205.81, average 19.41

Levi Harvey 3015 lbs for 549.05, average 18.00

Burke & Raop 3020 lbs for 673.16, average 21.79

Total First Week 21020 pounds averaged \$16.17.

Bring your Tobacco where you will always get the top price for it.

# MADISON TOBACCO WAREHOUSE COMPANY.

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HERE IS A GOOD PLACE TO STOP FOR LITTLE MONEY.

## LOUISVILLE HOTEL, LOUISVILLE, KY., Main St., between 6th and 7th.

The Only Hotel in Louisville Operated on the American and European Plans.

AMERICAN PLAN. Rooms without Bath but with Hot and Cold Running Water.

75 Rooms ..... single, \$2.00 per day; 12 people, \$2.00 each.

50 Rooms ..... single, 2.50 per day; 2 people, 2.25 each.

50 Front Rooms ..... single, 3.00 per day; 2 people, 2.50 each.

Rooms with Private Bath:

50 Rooms ..... single, 3.50 per day; 2 people, 2.75 each.

50 Rooms ..... single, 3.50 per day; 2 people, 3.00 each.

EUROPEAN PLAN. Rooms without Bath but with Hot and Cold Running Water.

75 Rooms ..... single, \$1.00 per day; 2 people, \$0.75 each.

50 Rooms ..... single, 1.00 per day; 2 people, 1.00 each.

50 Front Rooms ..... single, 1.50 per day; 2 people, 1.25 each.

Rooms with Private Bath:

50 Rooms ..... single, 1.50 per day; 2 people, 1.25 each.

50 Rooms ..... single, 2.00 per day; 2 people, 1.60 each.

## THE OLD INN, Louisville, Ky., Corner Sixth and Main Sts., European Plan Only.

Rooms Without Bath, \$1.00 and up; Rooms With Private Bath, \$1.50 and up.

BEST EATING PLACE IN TOWN.

The Louisville Hotel and the Old Inn are located in the wholesale district and only a three-block's walk to the retail district and theatres.

Louisville Hotel and Old Inn Company, Proprietors.

# Economy In Dry Goods.

Economy is the source of wealth. Practice it yourself and increase your bank account. It is all in knowing what, when and where to buy.

We have unquestionably the most economical store in this town, and to substantiate this statement, we ask you to come in, look over our goods, test their quality and price them. Then you will understand why we have and hold such a large volume of trade. This week we have some very enticing offerings in Christmas novelties and suitable gifts for boys, girls and grown-ups.

## G. M. LYONS.

The Busy Cash Store.

Store open until 9 p. m. each night next week

## HONOR ROLL BANK.

### STUDY THESE SUGGESTIONS.

1. Pay your bills by check, and have your wife pay her bills by check.
2. Never lend an ear to "Get-Rich-Quick" schemes.
3. Follow some system in saving—Do not be haphazard about it.
4. Rent a safe deposit box for your valuable papers.
5. Make free use of the up-to-date service we offer.
6. Teach the child the value of money by giving them an allowance.
7. Meet your friends at this bank for transacting important business.

## The Citizens National Bank

OF LANCASTER, KY.

B. F. HUDSON, President. J. J. WALKER, Vice Pres.

W. O. PIGNEY, Asst. Cash'r. JOE J. WALKER, JR., Book-Keeper.

W. F. CHAMP, Cashier.



### DAIRY LORE.

Calves intended for the dairy should not be made as fat as veals, and they should not be allowed to become stunted. They should be thrifty and growing all the time.

All windows and ventilators in the dairy barn should be put in order now.

The cows should have a chance to go to shelter now when they naturally seek it. A thorough chilling now will disqualify a herd for profit during the whole winter.

The best and most profitable cows are the first to suffer from exposure to cold, because they are the most highly and sensitively organized.

Efficiency counts as much in handling a dairy herd as in any business.

### ADVANTAGE OF A COW TESTING ASSOCIATION

The cow testing association affords the cheapest and most satisfactory method of getting accurate records of the production of dairy cows, according to O. E. Reed, professor of dairy husbandry in the Kansas State Agricultural college.

To establish an association and run it cheaply and effectively it is necessary to have between 300 and 400 cows distributed among about twenty-six herds within a convenient radius. Each member of the association is assessed from \$1 to \$1.50 a cow. This money is used to hire one man to do the testing and to defray the running expenses of the association. Each herd is visited once a month by this man, who makes the fat tests and has charge of keeping the milk and feed records. From the monthly records the yearly records are calculated. From the amount of feed consumed the value thereof and the amount of milk and butter fat produced one can pick his profitable cows.

The man who does the testing is always one who has had considerable experience in the dairy business, and much valuable information and advice can be obtained by the farmers from him.

The principal advantage of the cow testing association is the obtaining of an exact record of each cow in the herd. A conservative estimate is that about one-third of the cows in Kansas do not pay for the feed they eat. Cows of this sort are worse than boarders, for they eat up the profits made by the good cows. There is a great opportunity to increase the net profits of the average herd by spotting the poor cows and discarding them.

Moreover, knowing the record of production of the cows in a herd enables one to feed them more intelligently. It is a common practice to feed all the cows in a herd alike. Under these conditions the poor cow would be fed too much and the good cow too little. The proper way to feed each cow is in proportion to the amount of milk she produces. When this plan is adopted it usually results in a greater production of milk on less feed.

A testing association often leads to community breeding, which means that a part or all of the members decide to handle one breed of cattle. They may co-operate in buying or selling breeding stock or may trade herd sires and thereby reduce expenses.

### THE LITTLE BROWN COW.

Animal That Proved the Value of Testing For Production.

There is an old saying that "you cannot tell by the looks of a frog how far he can jump." It may be said, too, that you cannot tell by the looks of a cow how much milk she can give, says Howard's Dairyman. The Babcock test and the scale are correcting the judgments of men pertaining to the abilities of their cows, and several thousands of cows tested and found wanting are sent to the slaughter each year in Wisconsin last year over 3,000 cows went this course.

A member of a cow testing association in Wisconsin cited recently this fact: "One little brown cow I offered to sell to a customer for \$50, but he would not pay it, saying it was too much. I also had one nice looking black and white cow. He offered me \$75 for this one, but I would not sell her at \$75." But weighing and testing each cow's milk brought something to light as follows:

The little brown cow produced 6,383 pounds of milk testing 5.2 per cent of butter fat. Total production of fat, 334 pounds; profit, \$48.01.

The black and white cow produced 4,304 pounds of milk testing 3.4 per cent of butter fat. Total fat, 146.9 pounds; profit, 35 cents.

"The nice black and white cow is now for sale at \$50, and the little brown cow does not leave the barn for less than \$100. This one instance will pay the cow testing dues for three years."

There are innumerable instances of this kind, but they remain in darkness because the light is not turned on.

### Cows on Pasture.

A grain and mill feed ration given in conjunction with grazing keeps the cows at milking time, causes them to come up regularly to be milked, increases and enriches the milk flow, furnishes a measure that is high in fertilizing elements and economizes in the amount of pasturage consumed.

# PUBLIC SALE

OF

## LIVE STOCK and IMPLEMENTS.

Having sold our farm located on the Fall Lick pike, five miles from Lancaster, we will sell at public auction, on the premises, beginning promptly at 10 o'clock a. m.,

Thursday, Dec. 21st. 1916,

the following personal property:

Eleven yearling steers, 5 two-year-old, weight about 1050 lbs; 3 weanling calves; 2 nice Jersey cows; 1 Jersey heifer; 23 ewes and 2 bucks, extra good; 1 red berkshire sow and 5 pigs; 3 brood sows and 9 good shoats, weight about 75 pounds, all extra good; 2 good brood mares, both in foal; 1 extra five year-old sorrel mare bred to Jack, gentle for women; 1 weanling colt by Bleucher, subject to register.

One Studebaker wagon; one spring wagon; 1 Kentucky wheat drill; 1 two-horse corn planter with check row attachment, good as new; 2 turning plows; 1 fodder sled, almost new; 1 Deering mower; 1 Wood mower, good as new; 2 hay rakes; 2 double shovel plows; 1 Polndexter drag harrow; 1 Brown riding cultivator; set of wagon harness; plow gear; collars; pads and other things too numerous to mention.

Some household and kitchen furniture.

About 151 shocks of fodder, 16 hills; 145 shocks, 18 hills; about 150 barrels of good corn in crib and 4 stacks of good hay.

Terms reasonable and made known on day of sale.

BURGOO FOR EVERYBODY.

W. L. Lawson & Son.

CAPT. A. M. BOURNE, Auctioneer.

### JERRY WANTS A LUNG.

Purchase of Red Cross Seal's Will Help to Supply Need.

WANTED: A good lung. This was the theme of a letter in rhyme received the other day by the St. Louis Society for the Relief and Prevention of Tuberculosis from ten-year-old Jerry O'Connor, a pupil at the open air school formerly conducted by that society. His poem, inspired by the Red Cross Christmas Seal Sale, follows:

"Now, if there's a present going round, There's just one thing for me, Ask Santa for one new lung. A right one—mine's a T. B."

"T. B. is what skiny folks has, It kills us poor, weak boys. So, to your prayers remember me, I wish you a thousand joys."

"A Merry Christmas to you all, A song I've often sung— But don't forget the skiny kid, And pay for his new lung."

There are thousands of Jerry's all over the United States who want "new lungs" and a chance to save their old ones. The sale of Red Cross Seals helps to provide open air school, sanatorium, and home care for such boys as Jerry.

W. O. RIGNEY.

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Hand Us That \$1.

### Making the Little Farm Pay

By C. C. BOWSFIELD

Facts and arguments multiply in favor of land ownership and diversified farming. At the same time farms are rapidly advancing in value, and people must make smaller areas of land serve their purpose.

Farmers who are not capitalists occupy too much land. They would do better to make and attain better results on smaller tracts. The little farm requires less investment and drudgery than the large one.

It affords a more enjoyable existence and tends to stimulate the interest of young people in progressive agriculture.



WORKING ON THE LITTLE FARM

ture. To reduce the size of farms will make it easier for poor men to acquire land, consequently the number of owners must increase.

With more owners and renewed interest our rural population will be augmented. By increasing the production of commodities per acre we will have heavier exports and the prosperity of the nation will be enhanced. These considerations are worthy of our attention and highest intelligence.

The little farm proposition is appealingly strong both to the man in the country and the resident of the city. It is, in fact, the hope of the American farmer and of the business world today. Through this modern system the rural family is to escape much of its drudgery and the city family is to obtain commodities at lower prices. The new method of intensive and diversified agriculture country life is to become easier and more attractive both to the young and to the old.

Big farms are all right for those who are equipped to handle them properly, but they are not desirable for people who have not capital enough to hire plenty of help and organize in a businesslike way to secure good results.

The man with a small farm not only starts with a less expensive equipment, but he is inspired to get substantial results from his few acres. He is quite sure to study out the more profitable methods of managing land. The following table, based on present prices, shows what a vast difference there is in the average value of crops on which the labor and cash outlay are much the same.

	Gross	Net
Wheat per acre	\$40	\$12
Field corn	30	10
Potatoes	150	100
Onions	50	20
Cucumbers	30	15
Strawberries	30	20
Cherries	20	15
Apples	20	10
Clover	30	5
Alfalfa	60	20
Timothy	25	10

With the ordinary family no help is needed on a little farm except where there is a considerable crop of fruit or vegetables, for which there is a ready cash return sufficient to meet the expenses of operation.

The owner of forty acres who produces for market fifty hogs, 100 lambs and sheep, 200 chickens, the output of a dairy of ten cows and a variety of vegetables will double discount the exclusive grain raiser or dairy manager. Instead of risking his year's time and his whole investment on one product, he divides his risks into eight or ten parts. Therefore if his grain is a failure he can stand the loss because he has various other interests to fall back on. If he has lost in it with his hogs and chickens or the dairy he still has an assured income from many other sources.

### To Keep Harness in Good Condition.

To keep harness in the best possible condition apply oil frequently, advises C. W. McAnuphelt, associate professor of animal husbandry in the Kansas State Agricultural college.

"Oil protects the harness from water and all kinds of weather and makes it more pliable," said Dr. McAnuphelt. "The farmer puts oil on harness for the same reason that he puts it on his boots. It softens the leather, making it wear longer, prevents water from rotting it and keeps the leather from getting hard and cracking."

### Reducing the Apple Tree Borers.

The round headed apple tree borer may be greatly reduced in numbers by destroying the common service tree when in proximity to orchards. It has been found that the tree is a favorite food plant of the insect.

### Daily Thought.

Spottiness may do for angels—repentance unto life is the highest that belongs to men.—F. W. Robertson.

### Worth While Quotation.

"Pleasure comes through toil and not by self-indulgence and indolence. When one gets to love work, his life is a happy one."—Ruskin.

### Retribution Sure.

Those folks who like to gossip are sure also to be made the subject of gossip. When a fellow lies about others he's sure to have the truth told about himself.

### Canvas Tubing.

More or less inconvenience always has accompanied the use of the tin duct, in supplying ventilation to miners and other underground workers. Because of these facts, a manufacturer of canvas tubing has set about making canvas tubing, which is meeting with favor where it has been tested. The canvas tube is easily mounted when punctured, and is also easily moved.



The most Sensational Bargain Event ever presented to the buying public of Danville, Ky., and vicinity. A sale that will set the whole city into a buying fever heat. Come Early.

## Business Suspended Until 9 a. m. Saturday, December 16th, '16

Entire stock now in the hands of the Southern Sales Co., of Memphis, Tenn. Wholesale brokers and selling agents. E. O. Meimer, in charge.

These bargain prices are different than what is usually handed to you during sales. Prepare yourself---come here hunting bargains. You'll bring home big game worth money to you. Hundreds of People are Daily Expected. ARE YOU COMING?

A large assortment of Ladies' Boudoir Caps, magnificent colors, Silk Crepe de Chene and Satin, trimmed with Lace. Special opening price **50c**

Ladies' Neckwear, very beautiful and absolutely the latest styles. It will be worth your while to look them over. **25c 50c 75c**

Ladies' Pocketbooks—A nice line, with nice little mirrors and accessories, only **50c**

Same in guaranteed All-leather and Silk lined, Silver Lock **98c**

A large variety of Handkerchiefs in beautiful boxes, three to six in a box, per box... **10c UP**

Give your little boy a Cash Register with three beautiful Handkerchiefs, only **25c**

Or make him happy with a nice little Trunk with key and lock and also three Handkerchiefs in the Trunk, only **25c**

Learn the little ones how to save money. Give them a Safe with combination lock, with three beautiful Handkerchiefs thrown in, all for **25c**

A large assortment of Ladies' Handkerchiefs, three and six to a box, with embroidered points, absolutely the best quality, for **50c**

Men's guaranteed All Linen Handkerchiefs, six in a beautiful box, our price only **98c**

A large assortment of Men's Ties, Suspenders, Socks—in fact everything at specially reduced prices.

MEN'S SUITS—The famous Classic Brand, tailor-made, guaranteed perfect fit, latest styles, \$20.00 value at **\$12.98**

MEN'S OVERCOATS—Tailor-made, \$15.00 values, for **\$9.98**

RAINCOATS—The kind that don't leak, \$8.00 values for **\$5.00**

MEN'S PANTS—Heavy Kersey Goods, fast colors, from \$1.75 and up **\$1.75**

MEN'S FLEECE-LINED UNDERWEAR—Sanitary Fleece lined Shirts and Drawers, worth at present market price 65c, only **45c**

MEN'S FINE RIBBED SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, a piece **45c**

UNION SUITS at **\$1.19**

FLANNEL SHIRTS, \$1.50 value for **\$1.19 & \$1.25**

MEN'S CAPS—Fur-lined, ear flaps, from 25c up **25c**

LADIES' ARCTIC SETS, HOODS AND SCARFS, latest patterns, \$1.50 value for **98c**

CHILDREN'S TOBOGGANS—Beautiful colors for **25c**

MEN'S WORK SHOES—We still sell them at, a pair, **\$2.45**

LADIES' HIGH-TOP SHOES—In Patent Leather and Kid Cravenette Tops, high or low heel, \$3.50 value our price **\$2.69**

A large assortment of Men's Neckwear, some smart patterns and designs, **25c, 35c and 50c**

MEN'S HEAVY COTTON HALF HOSE for **9c**

MEN'S HEAVY ALL-WOOL SOCKS... for **23c**

Main Street  
Opposite  
Court House

# The Fair Store

A. GROBAN,  
Prop.  
Danville, Ky.

### PAINT LICK Delayed.

Miss Hammons of Jackson is the guest of Miss Maurine McLin.

Mr and Mrs Laban Kirk spent the past week shopping in Cincinnati.

Mrs Thos. Ralston was host at a sumptuous family dining on Thanksgiving.

Mrs Wood Walker returned Saturday from a two weeks visit in Mt Carmel, Illinois.

Dr. Frank Walker motored up from

Louisville and spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs J. Wade Walker.

Mr. Less Eads of Cincinnati visited his aunts, Mrs E. O. Farris at Silver Creek and Mrs J. D. Burchell recently.

Miss Jeanette Eldridge who has been a victim of scarlet fever is entirely recovered to the delight of her many friends.

Misses Madine and Geneva Murphy of near Richmond were guests of their cousin, Miss Emma Burchell, Thanksgiving.

Mr. R. H. Ledford has purchased of

E. F. Hedrick and son, their stock of goods and residence, at the same time selling them his farm formerly known as the Ramsey place.

Rev. Hamilton of Berea, who so ably filled the pulpit at the Methodist church during the series of services just closed will address the people of Paint Lick on the temperance question on Dec. 15.

Mrs. E. C. McWhorter was host at an elaborate dinner on Thursday, the occasion being Mr. McWhorter's birthday as well as Thanksgiving. Every member of the family being present except Miss Lula, who is at the Business

College in Bowling Green.

Miss Minnie Hurt and Mr Ed Huielett surprised their friends by being united in marriage on Nov. 25th. Miss Minnie is the youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs Will Hurt and is a young woman possessed of both face and character. Mr Huielett is one of our energetic young farmers and a host of good wishes go with them into their new life.

### BRYANTSVILLE

Delayed.

Mr. Solomon Childers is in quite a serious condition at this writing.

Miss Bessie Caldwell spent several days in Lexington last week.

Mr. Mack Hendren has purchased a handsome new Buick touring car.

Misses Cecie and Nazzie Bowling visited relatives at Richmond last week.

Mr W. R. Vaughn has sold his residence here to Mr. John Noe. Possession given first of January.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams and children were guests of relatives in Somerset for Thanksgiving.

Misses C. M. Dean, H. W. McAfee and J. A. Trumbo were in Lexington Saturday, shopping.

Miss Jane Bowling of M. F. C., Millersburg, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr and Mrs G. A. Bowling.

The little daughter who recently arrived at the home of Mr and Mrs Chas. Henninger, has been named Gladys Pearl.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Kennedy and Miss Flossie Mae Sutton were guests of Mr. and Mrs Ebb Dickerson at Lancaster, Sunday.

Mr. Clay Coulter who is at Martinsville Ind, for his health is reported to be improving and expects to return home next week.

Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Hogan Ballard attended the Shriners Banquet at the Phoenix Hotel on Thursday evening.

Mrs W. J. Hogan, Mrs. Eliza H. Ballard, Miss Mayme Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hogan Ballard spent Thanksgiving in Lexington the guests of Mr and Mrs W. T. Woolfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Poor and children of Wilmore, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dickerson and daughter, Katie Barnes, of Lancaster, were guests of Mr Logan Ison and Miss Eliza Ison Sunday.

Miss Mayme Lee Ballard entertained

a few friends very informally Tuesday evening. It was the first meeting of the Fortnightly Club which was recently organized. During the evening a salad course and coffee were served.

Dickerson and Kennedy have sold their stock of merchandise to Mr. A. T. Scott. Mr. Kennedy will still have charge of the Undertaking Department. His many friends are delighted that he will remain in our village for another year. Possession to be given Mar. 1st.

### Not Quite Perfect.

In this neighborhood there is one little boy who seems so well brought up and altogether so desirable a child that for a time we felt sure the neighbor women wouldn't be able to think of anything to say, but now we understand from a reliable source that it's a perfect shame that his parents are jeopardizing his whole future by not having his teeth straightened.—Ohio State Journal.

## Public Sale

OF

### Furniture & Household Goods

I will sell at public auction on the public square in Lancaster, Ky., on

Saturday, December 16, '16

At 2 O'clock, P. M.

the following household and kitchen furniture:

One complete set of Furniture; one set of Chairs; one antique Bookcase and secretary combined; one dining room table; two kitchen tables, two rockers, one China Closet; one No. 8 Cooking Stove, almost as good as new; one No 12 Tailor Sewing Machine; a lot of books, including set of Thackeray; set of Duma's Chambers Encyclopedia; 9 volumes; 3 volumes Encyclopedia Britannica, leather bound, cost \$6. a volume; complete works of Cooper in several volumes; works of Edward Bulwer Lytton, Webster Unabridged Dictionary; works of William Shakspear in one volume; one American Business Guide and other too numerous to mention. TERMS CASH.

W. C. DAVIS,

Capt W. T. King, Auct

LANCASTER, KY.

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Lexington, Kentucky.

Located on Virginia Avenue and Q. & C. RY., Bridge. Between South Broadway and South Limestone.

### The House To Sell With.

Because this House is Owned and Controlled Principally by Farmers, and the only house in Lexington run on the Co-Operative Plan, that is after deducting the running expenses and paying Six Per Cent. to our Stockholders, the Profits are Divided Between our Customers. Ask some of your Neighbors who sold with us last season. Bring us a load and be convinced. We have a good stable with box stalls on the ground floor and every attention will be given you and your teams. For any information Telephone 3331, at our expense.



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We are authorized to announce Miss Jennie Higgins a candidate for County School Superintendent of Garrard County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 1917.

We are authorized to announce J. O. Bogie, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Court Clerk, primary to be held August 1917.

We are authorized to announce Jephtha Onstott a candidate for the democratic nomination for County Court Clerk, subject to the action of the primary, August 1917.

We are authorized to announce E. B. Ray as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Assessor of Garrard County, subject to the action of the Primary, August, 1917.

## FOR SALE.

Kimball piano, mahogany case, excellent tone and is as good as new. For information call this office.

## XMAS PRESENT.

Get your Xmas present glasses thru the Byrne Optical Service at the Kengarian Hotel, December 18th to 23rd.

## CHRISTMAS TREE.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Fairview Christian church, Saturday evening, December 23rd. Everybody cordially invited and asked to participate in making it a success.

## OLD LANCASTER BOY.

Hon. A. T. Anderson received a long letter from his old friend, Arthur Brown, many years ago a resident of this city, but for the past thirty years has been living in the west, his present home now being Fresno, Cal. Mr. Brown writes an interesting letter and asks about many of his old friends, among them "Teat" Bailey, Wm. Graham and Joe Sandifer. He says that his health now is feeble, but that he is ready to pass over the Great Divide, since the election of Woodrow Wilson, whom he seems to champion with all the ardor of his soul.

Mr. Brown is an uncle of postmaster Brown of this city.

## FOR SALE AND RENT

Properly Listed in This Column.

No. 5. Is a suburban tract of 138 acres situated on main pike with building site for dwelling right at the city limits—city water and lights installed, most of this farm in grass. This farm will produce the variety of crops usual to the best lands in this county. This tract has one large splendidly constructed stock barn, one 8 acre newly constructed tobacco barn. Farm well fenced and watered. This tract has RENT Cottages on it, always rented, that produce a rental equal to the average income on a \$5000 investment. Price \$20,700. \$5,700 cash and balance in equal payments due in 2, 3 and 4 years. Buy this for a home and live convenient and accessible to the advantages of one of the best small cities anywhere.

No. 6. Is a tract of 70 acres; has all the improvements of tract No. 5 and is priced at \$12,250 and is worth the money. Terms \$1250 cash and balance in equal payments maturing in 2, 3 and 4 years.

No. 7.—For Rent. For 1917 six room cottage on Danville street in city limits—has four acres of land. Better see us now about this one.

No. 8. Is one of the most attractive, substantial, and convenient suburban homes in the city—a two-story dwelling of ten rooms, including halls and pantries, all requirements in out buildings, lights and water; has several acres suitable for building lots. We will trade this handsome city dwelling and acreage in on a good farm. If you wish to retire from the farm you should know about this one.

The Thomas Real Estate Agency.

D. A. Thomas, Mgr.

Office Record Bldg. Lancaster, Ky.

## DAUGHTER'S LIFE SAVED BY TANLAC

Mother of Mrs. John Lowe Says She Is Sure of It.

## NOW WEARS "TANLAC SMILE"

"She Had Lost All Interest in Life and Would Have Gladly Welcomed Death", Declares Mrs. S. C. Burnett. "I Regard My Daughter's Recovery as Most Wonderful and Miraculous."

"There is absolutely no doubt in my mind that Tanlac saved my daughter's life."

This statement by Mrs. S. C. Burnett, 1438 Clay street, Cincinnati, mother of Mrs. John Lowe, same address, tells why the "Tanlac Smile" brightens the face of everybody in that household.

"I regard my daughter's recovery as the most wonderful relief your Tanlac medicine has ever achieved," said Mrs. Burnett. "I myself—her own mother—had given up hope. My daughter had



MRS. JOHN LOWE, of Cincinnati, Who Says She Owes Her Life to Tanlac.

lost all interest in life and would have gladly welcomed death.

### Her Condition Pitiable.

"She was just pitiable! Yet before she had taken half a bottle of Tanlac she was a different woman."

"My daughter's case is almost unbelievable. Up to a year ago she was a strong, healthy woman. Suddenly she began to ill. Her digestive system went back on her completely. She could not digest what little she forced herself to eat. After every meal she was tortured with gas, pain and distress. She had to physic constantly with salts, oil and pills. Her weight dropped from 140 to 110 pounds."

### Woke Up For Hours.

"The rumbling of a wagon or stamping of a door would make my daughter tremble. At night she would lie awake or walk the floor for hours. Then she would have heart-breaking spasms of weakness. We tried all sorts of medicines to no effect. Finally we heard of Tanlac from neighbors. My daughter took it."

"Her complete recovery to perfect health was marvelous, simply marvelous. First, she felt like eating. Then her strength came back and her bowels became regular. Now she has a splendid appetite, sleeps the whole night through and has gained weight so that her clothes have had to be let out. I repeat:

"There is absolutely no doubt in my mind that Tanlac saved my daughter's life."

Tanlac is being introduced in Lancaster at R. E. McRoberts.

Tanlac may be obtained in the nearby cities. Point Lick, J. N. Metcalf; Bryansville, Becker & Ballard; Little Hickman, Collier and Bruner; Berea, S. E. Welch; Stanford, Penny's Drug Store; Junction City, Reynolds and Evans; Richmond, H. L. Perry & Son; Crab Orchard, Tyne Bros.; Burgin, G. T. Schoellkopf; Danville, John S. Wells, Lancaster, R. E. McRoberts, and W. C. West, Silver Creek. (Adv)

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## AND BEST FOOD.

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## LOOKS LIKE HUNG JURY.

The famous Point Lick case, which began in the Circuit court last Thursday is still unsettled as we go to press, the jury having been out since eleven o'clock yesterday morning.

The cause of the action results from the flood during the year 1913 when the waters of Point Lick creek overflowed the city of Point Lick and one of the plaintiffs, George Conn, is bringing suit against the L. and N. railroad, charging that the buttments of the bridge caused the water to turn from its natural channel and do considerable damage to the property of Conn. It is said that the jury stands 8 to 1 with little prospect of a verdict.

## READY FOR PEACE.

The Teutonic Allies declare themselves ready to discuss peace. Also they are ready to continue the war if the Entente Allies do not find the time propitious for such a discussion. The readiness of the Central Powers has been made in identical notes to the United States, Spain and Switzerland, who are asked to make known the contents of the notes to the nations at war with the Teutonic Allies. Notes also have been transmitted to the Vatican and the active interest of the Pope is solicited in the peace offer.

While no conditions for peace were mentioned in the notes, it was asserted that the propositions to be made by Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria would leave for them object a guarantee of the existence of the honor and the liberty of evolution for those nations and would prove "an appropriate basis for the establishment of a lasting peace." Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg in communicating to the Reichstag the fact of the dispatch of the notes, said the step was taken on the ground of humanity. The Teutonic Allies, he said, could not be conquered and they awaited the answer of the Entente "with true and sincere interest which is guaranteed to us by our exterior and interior strength and by our clear conscience."

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The rush has already started and later on it will be impossible to give that gift the personal thought and attention it should receive.

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We have spent days preparing, selecting, buying and getting ready to present to you the great stock of **THINGS THAT WOMEN LIKE BEST** and now that everything is ready, it is with a feeling of pardonable pride that we ask you to come and see the result of all this effort we have put forth to present a line of Holiday Goods for ladies that will excel in extensiveness and distinctiveness any that has ever been shown in this city.

Handkerchiefs 5c to 50c.  
Neck Scarfs 75c to \$1.50.  
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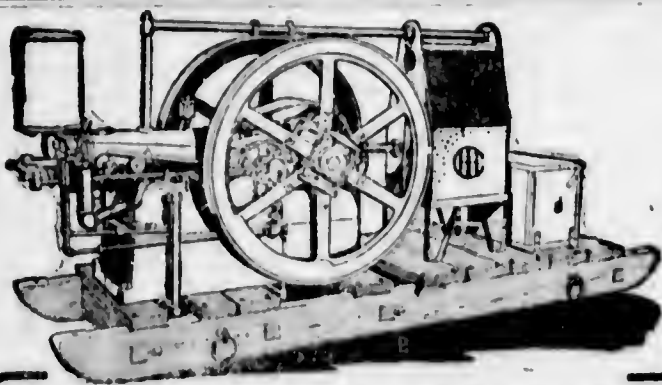
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**Kella Arnold Francis.**

L. G. Davidson, Mayor.  
December 4th, 1916.

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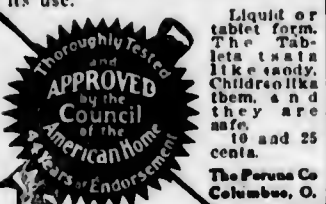


### Keeping Yourself Well

#### THE FIRST STEP

Usually the first indication of a lowering of health is found in the bowels and liver. Something goes wrong—we eat too much, or work too hard—and the bowel action weakens or the liver is sluggish. That heavy feeling on arising in the morning, dryness of the throat, with bad taste, a slight headache, dull eyes—all show that food has fermented in the intestines, and that the body is manufacturing poisons instead of good blood.

Clear it all out. Give the stomach and bowels a fresh start. Encourage the liver to go to work. **Manalin** does all of this, without griping or weakening. It's the ideal laxative and liver tonic, because it follows Nature's plan, without discomfort, inflammation or forming a habit. Constipation may be overcome with its use.



#### GUNNS CHAPEL.

Mrs James Land has been ill.  
Mrs Ambrose Calico is improving.  
Mr Dee Fothergill sold a mule to Mr Ray Noel for \$150.  
Miss Maude Teater spent Thursday with the Misses Calico.  
Mr J. M. Amon sold a horse to Mr Dee Fothergill for \$150.  
Mr Morris Calico was a guest of Mr Thompson Davis Sunday.  
Mr George Calico and Miss Mayme Calico were in Richmond Saturday.  
Mr Dock Simpson of Richmond was here a few days the first of the week.  
Mrs E. H. Chandler was a recent guest of Mrs. Geo. Teater at Edenton.  
Mrs M. D. Long spent a part of last week with her sister, Mrs John McCully.  
Feed and flour, cotton seed meal etc, for sale by Hudson, Hughes & Farnau.  
Miss Willie Miles Ray was a guest of Miss Barbara Gutley Saturday and Sunday.  
Messrs Talton, Holart, Male and Wm May were in Richmond on business last Monday.  
Miss Netta Ray and Mr Otis Ray Bogie visited Mrs Ambrose Calico Sunday afternoon.  
Rev. D. F. Sebastian, Mr and Mrs Frank Land and Miss Inez Land were guests of Mr and Mrs John Land and Miss Lenna Holton, Sunday.  
Mrs Lucas Foster entertained a number of friends Saturday. Among the number were Messdames Allen Teater, Amelia Bogie, Josiah McCully, Wm and Walter Fain.

### For the Family Medicine Chest

Green Day, Wm. Mrs. Wm. F. Bubala says: "I always use Foley's Honey and Tar for our children as it quickly breaks up their colds with no bad after effects, and they like to take it."

In this season of coughs, colds and croup, every family medicine chest should be supplied with a good cough medicine that can be relied upon when needed.

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Mrs. E. L. Frazee, J. D. Naylor.  
William Humphrey, Clayton Humphrey.  
William Bradshaw, W. T. Bradshaw.  
John Pendleton, R. L. Arnold.  
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We will add other names for 25 cent each.

# PUBLIC SALE

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## FINE TOBACCO and Hemp Land.

I will sell to the highest bidder on

### Wednesday, Dec. 21st. '16,

one tract of land lying on the waters of Paint Lick Creek, 8 miles from Lancaster, on the Hyattsville and Kirksville pike and joining the lands of E. P. Jones and Wm. Casey and others containing 100 acres. This farm is all in grass except 12 acres; 23 acres in Blue Grass, 20 acres in clover, 35 acres in ryegrass, clover and timothy and 10 acres in timothy and blue grass; all under good fence, one six acre tobacco barn. This land is in a high state of cultivation will grow fine hemp and tobacco and is well watered from everlasting springs.

Also at same time and place will sell 1 pair mare mules, 5 years old, 14½ hands high; 1 good yearling horse; 1 weanling colt; 1 extra good Jack colt, seven months old; 1 good Jennet, 3 years old, in foal; 1 dry cow, weight about 1100 pounds; 1 yearling Jersey heifer and one yearling steer weight about 600 pounds each; two good heifer calves about six months old; 10 head shoats weigh about 100 pounds; 1 good brood sow will farrow about March 15, 1917; and one nice Poland China gilt, subject to register.

About 75 or 100 barrels Corn in crib; 1 good two-horse wagon; 1 Brown Riding Cultivator, good as new; 1 Vulcan Turning Plow; 1 double shovel; 1 cutting harrow; 1 good sled with tongue; wagon and plow gear. Also about 40 shocks of fodder and some sorghum feed; also about 6,000 tobacco sticks.

Any one desiring to look over the farm will be shown by man on place at anytime, prior to sale.

**TERMS**—All sums of \$10. and under, cash in hand, over that good negotiable notes due and payable January 1st, 1918. Land will be sold one-third cash in hand, January 1 1917, when possession will be given; remainder in one and two years with six per cent notes to contain maturity clause. Sale will take place on farm promptly at 10 o'clock Wednesday, December 27, 1916.

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#### Jobs as a Barometer.

When four men run after three jobs wages are low; when four jobs run after three men wages are high.—Ground Hog.

#### Safe for a Couple of Days.

Teacher—"This makes four times I've had to punish you this week, Bobbie. What have you to say to that?" Bobbie—"I'm glad it's Friday, teacher."—Judge

#### Self-Helping.

Gardener (voluntary helper, packing eggs collected for wounded soldiers)—"I be allowed to keep all the cracked eggs, and if there ain't enough cracked I 'as to crack 'em myself."—Puck.

#### Millennial Dream.

A New York stenographer has set a new record by writing 137 words a minute. Some day a stenographer will not only be able to write that many words, but to spell them correctly—and then the millennium will be at hand.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

#### The Kind.

Willie—"What kind of a time did you have at Uncle's last evening?" Gills—"Very uninteresting. I couldn't understand anything they said to their baby or anything the phonograph played or anything that my wife whispered to me behind their backs."—Judge.

#### Many Birds Imported.

The department of agriculture issues about 300 permits annually for the importation of birds; the number of birds imported amounts to about 250,000, and as many as 17,000 birds arrive in a single day.

#### "Tell It Not in Gath."

"Tell it not in Gath" means "Don't let your enemies hear it." Gath was famous as the birthplace of the giant Goliath. The quotation is from the Second Book of Samuel, first chapter twentieth verse: "Tell it not in Gath, lest the daughters of the Philistines rejoice, lest the daughters of the unconquered triumph."

#### Talk to Yourself.

A lawyer has in his office a motto: "Think twice before you speak; then talk to yourself." His significant comment upon it was: "If my clients followed that motto, I would lose half my business." He also remarked that the first lawyer in whose office he served kept his mouth sealed on all occasions, when not absolutely necessary to open it.—Onward.

#### Longfellow and Tennyson.

Longfellow and Tennyson were not personal friends of long standing, but they became friends late in life. Longfellow was born February 27, 1807, and Tennyson August 6, 1809, but they never met until 1868, when Longfellow visited England. Writing from there to a friend in this country he said: "We came last night from Freshwater where we had passed two happy days with Tennyson—not at his house, but mostly with him. He was very cordial and very amiable and gave up his whole time to us."

#### Wanted Apology.

"I want to apologize, frankly, for my rudeness last evening. I assure you I didn't intend it." "Well, for the love of Mike, mean it next time! I hate to see a man's actions and his intentions harmonize so poorly."—Judge.

#### Enough Said.

"What sort of a man is he?" "Well, he's the sort of a man who will have his stenographer call you on the telephone and keep you waiting three or four minutes for him to get around to ask a favor of you."—Detroit Free Press.

#### Most Precious Thing.

Sweet is the destiny of all trades, whether of the brows or of the mind. God never allowed any man to do nothing. How miserable is the condition of those men which spend the time as if it were given them, and not lent; as if hours were waste creatures and such as should never be accounted for; as if God would take this for a good bill of reckoning.—Bishop Hall.

### Love, Honor And Obey

By WILLIAM CHANDLER

"This fuss over taking the word 'obey' from the marriage service," said Charlie Webster to the wife he married a couple of months before, "is the most unimportant nonsense I ever heard of."

"When we were married I didn't notice that the word was in the service," said Mrs. Webster.

"How can a woman love and honor a man unless she is willing to obey his commands?"

"I don't exactly see that." "In some instances a command is necessary. Suppose, for instance, I should notice that you were permitting too frequent attentions from one of your old flames. I ask you to desist. You pay no attention to my request. I command you to desist. Isn't that right?"

"You might rather say, 'Dearest, Mr. So-and-so's attentions to you are attracting attention to your and my injury.' That would be sufficient. I would act upon your warning."

"But suppose you didn't?"

"Then a command would do no good."

"I'm not sure, eh?"

"Suppose, on the other hand, I asked you to drop some old flame of yours and you paid no attention to my request. Would it do any good for me to command you to drop her?"

"This staggered the young husband, but not for long."

"It wouldn't do any good, and probably it wouldn't do any good for me to command you, but the right to command is on my side. There must be one head to everything. There is a head to all government. Marriage involves government. Government, to be effective, cannot be with the weaker—it must be with the stronger—party. Man is stronger than woman; therefore he is the natural governor."

"When a man and a woman love each other, what's the need of government?"

"How about the children?" "The children? Oh, the mother naturally governs the children."

"Oh, she does? You may as well understand now as later that if we have a boy I shall not permit you to make a mistake of him by scolding him, as some mothers do of their boys."

"And you may as well understand that you shall not give him the harsh treatment Joe Tucker gives little Ben."

"I shall teach our son one thing—obedience."

"Obedience to both of us?"

"Certainly."

"Suppose you tell him to do something and I tell him to do another?"

"Alas! There you have proved my case. It will be your duty to yield to me in the matter—in other words, to obey me. How can our child expect to obey me unless you set him the example? It's my opinion that these divines, instead of taking the word 'obey' out of the marriage service, should make it stronger. It should be printed in capitals and with a dozen exclamation points."

"If I were to marry you again I would insist on the word 'obey' being left out."

"Then you wouldn't marry me."

"And we wouldn't have any son for you to abuse."

"You mean you would make a Miss Nancy of him."

"I'm sorry I married you at all. I saw see in you what I have never seen before, the disposition of a tyrant."

"And I see in you what promises to be a rebellious wife."

"Very well. If we can't get on together we'll have to separate."

"That was the end of the fracas, for she flounced out of the room, leaving her husband gasping after her."

"I wish those confounded ministers," he said to himself, "had left the marriage service alone. What difference does it make whether the word 'obey' is in it or out of it? Maud didn't consider it of any importance till these divines brought it up."

He was miserable for an hour, and his wife was in the same condition. Then he gave excellent evidence as to who was master. His wife being the weaker party, it was his part to offer the olive branch to her, not she to him. He went to her, kissed her and said:

"Sweetheart, it seems to me that you and I quarreling about the marriage of a boy who may never be born is like fighting for the sky for a picture."

"It was all my fault," she added. "If we ever have a boy I shall expect his father to take the lead in flogging him, of course."

One day three years later Mr. Webster was in the library with his son Billy. Billy deliberately took a tumbler from a table and smashed it on the floor.

"Billy," said his father, "if you do that again I shall punish you severely."

The boy defiantly took up a glass pitcher and repeated the smashing process.

His father was about to take him over his knee for a spanking when there was a crash of skirts on the stairs and Mrs. Webster dashed into the room, took Billy in her arms and disappeared like a retreating whirlwind up the staircase.

"There's a lesson in obedience for you," said Webster to himself. "Our ancestors who put the word 'obey' in the marriage service knew what they were doing. But in these degenerate days it doesn't make any difference whether it is there or not."

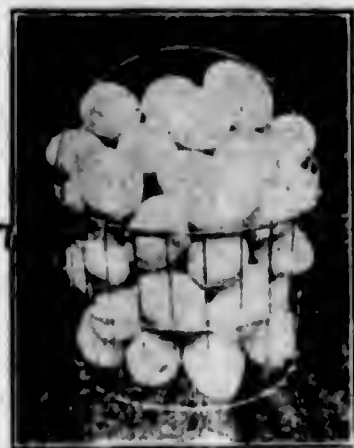


## POULTRY and EGGS

### BREEDING FOR EGGS.

Selection of Best Strains of Laying Hens Requires Careful Study.

Set each year two or three of the best hens you possess for the three qualities, egg production, standard quality, health and vigor writes T. P. McGraw in the Western Poultry Journal. Mate these three hens to the very best cockerel you have that has been bred from a heavy layer and have



From now until late winter the demand for eggs will doubtless exceed the supply and it behooves the producer to keep his flock in laying condition. Fine layer eggs like those here shown will bring the top of the market. It pays to market only clean and well shaped eggs.

the cockerel of good quality according to the standard, thorough in all these qualities, as well as strong and vigorous. If the cockerel is so strong and vigorous as to be prone to the point of wanting to fight the attendant that cares for him, so much the better. Treat such a cockerel with great kindness, never abuse or injure him, for his very strength and vigor is of great value in your flock.

The second step in the production of success in the upbuilding of a strain that will be beautiful for exhibition, excellent for egg production and very vigorous, is to keep careful record of the laying qualities of each pullet. If you will trap nest them in September, October, November and December you may omit further use of the trap nest and resume its use the first of the following September and continue its use to the end of October. The pullets that will begin to lay early one fall and continue to lay very late the next fall and necessarily molt late are the kind to select, to use as hens from which to have eggs for hatching the following year. Such pullets should be mated in their second year of laying to cockerels that have been bred from one of the very best hens you own. If perchance you can have these cockerels from a hen in her third year of laying that has laid remarkably well for three years you will have the assurance of strength, vigor and inherited egg production. If all of these are good in standard qualifications you add greater value to the offspring.

There is another feature of egg production which needs more than passing attention. We frequently hear people applaud the fact that some of their pullets laid when they were four and a half months old or a little younger. Usually pullets that lay so young not only lay small eggs when they begin to lay, but they continue to lay eggs of small size during their entire life. Pullets from six to seven months old or even seven and a half months old make better layers, provided they are fully matured. Of course you will understand that when poorly fed during their growing period many of the pullets will not be developed until they are fully a year old. Such are never of much value because they are apt to be lacking in vitality, which is necessary for long continued egg production.

Leghorn pullets that are very nearly six months old and that are fully developed and of fairly good size are apt to make the best layers, surely better layers than will Leghorns that laid when about four or four and a half months old. Pullets of the larger breeds should be six months or near seven months old before they begin to lay, and they must have been well fed, properly nourished and be fully matured before they begin to lay or they are not apt to be profitable layers. Pullets of medium size for the breed that are fully grown, fully matured and full of vigor are the kind that make the profitable layers.

The day is fast approaching when eggs weighing less than two ounces each will be classed as seconds in the market. The sooner we begin, all of us, to realize that size, shape, smoothness and color of shell have much to do with the price of eggs the sooner will we begin to reap the harvest due to all who have eggs that are perfectly fresh, that are smooth on surface of shell, that are clear and clean in color, whether white or brown, and that average two ounces or a trifle better in weight. Such eggs are the kind that will sell best in the future, and we had better, all of us, have this in mind when breeding for egg production.

# Gift Suggestions From Our Dry Goods and Notion Stocks.

For the next two weeks everyone's mind will be running to gifts and what to get, and in many cases in looking for "Christmas Goods" you forget many articles that would prove much more acceptable, so we here briefly call your attention to many lines of goods we have in stock which are peculiarly well adapted for gifts. We will be glad to have you come and see these lines, as we feel sure that they have been well selected and prices are reasonable.

### Womens' Kimonos.

From \$1.00 to \$15.00. We call special attention to our Imported Japanese Embroidered Crepe Kimonos at \$2.00 to \$1.00 and Silks at \$10.00 and \$15.00.

### Silk Hose.

The celebrated McCullum Silk Hose, in black and colors, at \$1.25 and \$1.50, each pair in fancy box. Also the Knicker Silk Hose at \$1.25.

### Men's Silk Socks.

Pure Thread Silk Socks in black, navy blue, grey, at 50 cents per pair and excellent fibre Silk Socks at three pair for \$1.00.

### Umbrellas.

For women and men, at all prices from \$1.00 to \$10.00. Very fine Silk Umbrellas, in both mens' and womens' sizes, guaranteed for two years' wear, from \$3.50 to \$6.00; some with patent folding attachment.

### Auto Rugs.

Pure wool, and very heavy and beautiful colorings, at \$5, \$6, \$7, and up to \$12.00.

### Neckwear.

For women, in scores of new and attractive colors and sets, at 50 cents, 75 cents, \$1.00.

### Handkerchiefs.

In qualities and styles to suit every one. Beautiful Embroidered Crepe Handkerchiefs at 25 cents. Many special values in ladies and mens PURE LINEN Handkerchiefs at 10 cents to 50 cents. Fancy boxes of Handkerchiefs for children and women from 10 cents to \$1.00.

### Bed Comforts.

Filled with fine cotton, pure wool and down, at all prices from \$2.50 to \$15.00.

### Bed Sets.

Dignity, Krinkle and Satin Counterpanes, and with and without bolster covers, from \$3.00 to \$8.00 per set.

### Linen Table Sets.

Finest Pure Linen Irish Damask Table Cloths, with napkins to match, at \$10.00 to \$25.00 per set. These are very scarce and we call special attention to them as our prices are relatively very low.

### Towels.

We are showing the largest assortment of Fancy Colored Turkish Bath Towels ever shown here, and at attractive prices. Guest Towels at 25 cents, and large fancy towels at 35 cents, 40 cents, 50 cents, 60 cents and up. Also boxed sets of wash rags, Guest Towels and Bath Mats at 75 cents to \$3.50 per set.

### Pure Linen Towels.

As you surely know these are practically out of the market and we call attention to a number of beautifully embroidered Huck Towels in Guest and larger sizes, all absolutely pure Flax at 50 cents, 65 cents, 75 cents, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Only a small lot left from goods bought before the war, and worth now nearly double these prices.

### Hand Bags.

Handsome assortment of Beaded and Embroidered and Knitted Silk Bags, at all prices from \$1. to \$7. Also have just received a shipment of very choice leather bags at \$1. to \$5. All the newest shapes.

### Child's Furs.

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## He Had Neither Patriotism Nor Romance

By OSCAR COX

A man with one eye covered by a patch, a long scar on his neck and helping himself with a cane hobbled toward a hamlet in Canada. Meeting another man on the road, he stopped him and said:

"I come from ze wars in la belle France."

"Oh, you do? Did you go out with one of our Canadian regiments or did you go over and enlist in the French army?"

"I enlist in ze —th Canadian Infantry. I am a Canadian, though I love France."

"There's more of you come back than might have been expected. Seems to me I'd about as leave be a steer turned into a Chicago packing house as go over there to be made pulp of."

"We fight for civilization, for ze benefit of posterity."

"Well, you're welcome to do so if you like. I'm not interested in posterity myself, and I don't consider that I'm under any obligation to my great grandchildren whatever."

The speaker was about to move on when the war-scarred veteran said:

"There is a girl in this town by the name of Mabel Shaw, I believe?"

"There was a girl by that name."

"Mon Dieu! She is not dead?"

"No, she's very much alive."

"I bring a message to her from her lover."

"Oh, you do?"

"He and I fought together in ze trenches."

"Is the main part of him coming home too?"

"All of him is buried on ze battlefield in Picardie."

"That's too bad." This was said with evident disappointment. "Was his name Wilkins?"

"Yes. You knew him?"

"No. I never saw him. After he went away I took something that belonged to him. I'd like to return it to him."

"He was a brave man, a ver' brave man."

"I'm sure of that, considering what he stood up against before he left. But I reckon he didn't realize the critical position he was in. What was this message you brought from Wilkins to his girl?"

"We had repelled seven attacks in one day by the Germans. At the last attack my friend was shot through the heart."

"That's the weakest place in a man's body."

"It is certain death. But Wilkins lived long enough to say to me: 'Antoine, in ze little town in Canada where I lived there is a lovely girl who has promised to wait for me till I come back after ze war. If you go there will you seek her and tell her zat my last thoughts were of her, zat I died wif her dear name on my lips? I would like to live for her, but I rejoice to die for my country.'"

"That's a very beautiful."

"It is magifique. What could there be more glorious for a man than to die for his country wif ze name of ze girl he loves on his lips?"

"Nothing, positively nothing," replied the other. "I envy Wilkins from the bottom of my heart. Fate has many trials in store for us. If he had come back he might have been sorry that he hadn't closed the account abroad."

"Oh, but that was not so wif him. He would have come to ze embrace of ze girl he loved. Zat made his sacrifice so magifique."

There was an impressive silence between the men, which was broken by the returned soldier.

"Can you direct me to ze house of Mabel Shaw?"

"Certainly. Do you are the little red house over there?" pointing.

"Yes."

"Well, around the corner is a white house with green shutters. That's the location you're after. You can tell Mabel that you met a man on the road who directed you to her and asked you to say to her that he won't trespass on her sacred feeling for the rest of the day and she needn't expect him to dinner. She'll doubtless be very much overjoyed."

"You are her brother?"

"I wish I was. No; I'm her husband."

"Mon Dieu!"

"There's a lot of romance in this world, but I wasn't made that way myself. There are men who tumble over each other to get themselves killed in battle and men that are ready to kill each other for a woman. I haven't any experience in war, but I'm a major general in love. After Jim Wilkins went off to fight the Germans I executed a brilliant strategic move on the girl he left behind him and captured her. Did you ever hear of the soldiers who captured a powder mill? No? Well, they were much pleased with their exploit till the whole thing blew up and sent 'em sky high."

"You have no reverence for woman."

"You bet I have! My mother was the best woman that ever lived."

The soldier stood irresolute for a few minutes, then, turning away, said:

"Since you are married to the woman to whom I bear the message you would very much oblige me if you would give it to her yourself."

"I will be happy to do so. It will make her very benevolent — for awhile."

The soldier went one way, the man with whom he had left the message another.



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## The Womans Club

(Edited by The Womans Club)

We all feel that Christmas has been carried often beyond the point of all reason. Yet it will never be brought back to its sweet simplicity until each of us takes a stand and declares, "Where the heart cannot go with the gift, where the gift is not instinctively found and lovingly bought, it shall not be given."

Lowell touched the very heart of the Christmas spirit when he said: "The gift without the giver is bare."

It is not remarkable that the Nativity, the adoration of the Magi and the annunciation to the shepherds, the divine events of Christmastide should have inspired painters and sculptors for centuries. The birth of Christ and the incidents attending his infancy were, naturally enough, the themes of Christian song long before they were the subjects of Christian art, but from the thirteenth century on they found reverent representation at the hands of those artists who, inspired by the religious spirit of the middle ages, turned to biblical subjects for the noblest examples of their art. Symonds says: "The stable of Bethlehem, the star led kings, the shepherds and the angels—all of the beautiful story, in fact, which St. Luke alone of the evangelists has preserved for us—are what the whole Christian world owes to the religious feelings of the Hebrews. The first and second chapters of St. Luke are the most important in the history of Christian mythology and art."

In poetry Milton's vision, told in his "Hymn on the Morning of Christ's Nativity":

It was the winter wilde,  
While the heav'n born child,  
All meanly wrapt, in the rude manger

is fit expression of the conceptions of those who wrought in paint or in marble or clay to give lifelike representation to the events of that one Christmas night. Marcellus' speech to Hamlet—

Some say that ever 'gainst that season comes,  
Wherein our Savior's birth is celebrated,  
The bird of dawning singeth all night long,  
And then, they say, no spirit dare stir abroad.

The nights are wholesome; then no planets strike,  
No fairy takes nor witch hath power to charm,  
So hallow'd and so gracious is the time—  
has some part of the mystery of the joyous message which the birth of Christ brought to the world. With others Rossetti has imparted a sense of religious reverence and inspiration to the group. With what simple adoration does the graceful figure of the Virgin bend over the child—an adoration which the sculptor has blended expressively with the tenderness of maternal love. A delicate, sensitive beauty of face, lifelike in texture, and a charming, rhythmic grade of line such must have been the portrayals of the Nativity seen by Milton on his Italian journey which so tinged his visions. In the center lies the infant Christ, and on the left sits St. Joseph, a figure which compels our admiration quite as much as that of the Virgin. In expression the face is thoughtfully wondering and reverent. The ox and the ass, traditional figures of the Nativity, complete the group.

Remember not only the children at home but the children across the sea.

## A New Year Day Contest

By F. A. MITCHELL

It is now something like forty years since the custom of making calls on New Year's day died suddenly. It began in New Amsterdam—now New York—having been brought over from Holland when Manhattan Island was settled by the Dutch.

About the middle of the nineteenth century, when the custom of calling on the 1st of January was observed by all classes, two colored gentlemen of the blue grass region of Kentucky were rivals for the hand of the same dusky girl. They happened to make up their minds to propose to her on the same evening. Mose Jinks was in the act of declaring himself when in came Pete Carpenter for the same purpose and surprised his rival pouring forth his love.

"Yo' git right out o' here," said Pete. "Wha' yo' think—dat Sarah Ann's gwine to put up with any sich niggah as you?"

"Do you spect dat Sarah Ann's gwine to take up with a field hand lak you—dat a house servant—a lady's maid, too—is gwine to marry a good for nothing co'n hoer?"

"Reckon Sarah Ann knows what she's about."

"Spec she does. She's gwine to take me."

Meanwhile Sarah Ann stood a spectator to this struggle for her hand. But at this point both suitors looked at her appealingly. Finding herself called upon to decide between her two suitors, she said:

"I feels mighty complemented at bein' axed by two sich gentlemen and yo' bofe so due that I don' know which to take."

"Tak' one or de odder," said Mose.

"Tak' de odder; dat's me," said Pete. "I tell yo' what I do. Tomorrow's New Year's day. You two come here tomorrow arternoon at four o'clock, and de one wha's made de most calls I take."

"Dat's fair enough," said Pete.

"Huh! If yo' hadn't interfeared I'd been engaged by dis time," said Mose.

However, Sarah Ann would not decide between them in any other way, and Mose was obliged to consent. It was arranged that a committee of three be appointed by the lady to arrange the terms of the contest. This committee decided that the contestants start at 11 o'clock in the morning and finish at 4. Each was to carry a paper on which the names of the women he called on were to be entered by some one who knew how to write or by making a mark.

Naturally the contest excited a great deal of attention, for it was known far and wide that the two suitors for Sarah Ann's hand were to contest for it by making calls on New Year's day. Each had his adherents, and there was a determination on the part of those persons to aid their favorite.

The rivals were started on opposite extremities of the field of operations. Each selected a friend who could write to attend him so that he might be sure all the calls he made were recorded. As the morning wore away, however, each had a train of followers that was constantly increasing. At 1 o'clock the bride to be sent out a friend to bring her a report as to how the affair stood. She learned to her satisfaction that Mose was seven calls ahead. At 2 o'clock—one hour before time would be called—she sent out another inquiry and learned that Mose had lost his overalls and six calls besides.

"Jim," she said to her messenger, "can't yo' dx Pete so's he'll fall behind again?"

"Reckon I kin try," was the answer.

There was a stream between the two parts of the trial ground which was crossed by means of a log. Jim went to where Pete was calling and waited till he watched his way to the other side of the stream. When Pete was in the center of the log, followed by six attendants close packed, Jim made a rush for the rear man, and the seven men, including the contestant, went against each other like falling card houses and into the stream on either side of the log.

Of course Pete could make no more calls till he had changed his clothes, and he hurried away for the purpose. This unfair proceeding greatly outraged his followers, and since they were not making calls themselves and didn't mind wet clothing they ran off to find Mose in order to take a similar revenge. They found him near a dyehouse, and one of them going into the house came out with a bucket of dye, and, throwing it over Mose, turned him to a bright scarlet.

Unfortunately for the contestants, they were both delayed beyond the hour named for return. At 3:30 Sarah Ann sent Jim out to learn the situation. Jim returned at five minutes to 4 and reported that Pete had changed his clothes, made several additional calls and was coming to claim the prize. Mose's condition required more time, and his record was behind Pete's.

Sarah Ann waited till the clock struck 4, when, seeing Pete coming, she said to Jim:

"I don't want dat niggah, nohow. What'll I do?"

Pete arrived, the winner, but two minutes after 4. Mose arrived, loser, twenty minutes after 4. They were informed that neither having showed up on time the prize had gone to Jim.

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They All Defended the Family Honor

By M. QUAD

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"I think, sir," said Colonel Venables, "that the oddest experience a duelist ever had occurred to me a year after the war. I did not know Majah Davis until after peace came. Then he came to settle in the town where I lived."

"The majah had a good record as a soldier, and it happened that we soon became friends. The first time I saw him I noticed that the lobe of his right ear was partly gone, and I made up my mind that a bullet had inflicted the damage. Of course I didn't refer to it, and it was a couple of years before he made any explanation. One day as he sat in my office he made some allusion to his falling sight and added:

"Colonel Venables, there was a time and it was not long ago that I had the sight of an eagle. I think I had the best pair of eyes in the United States."

"I made some appropriate reply, and he went on:

"Colonel, I'll tell you how good my eyes were and see if you won't be astonished. At the battle of Cedar Mountain I sat on my horse directing the operations of my regiment when I saw a Yankee soldier beside a tree half a mile away. While I watched him he drew up his gun and aimed at me. I saw that he aimed to put a bullet between my eyes. Mind you, colonel, I saw all this as plain as I see you. I could not flinch before my regiment, and I had to sit in my saddle and await my doom. After a few seconds his gun was discharged. I saw the bullet coming straight for me, and I watched it until it was within two feet of my head. Then I dodged to the left to avoid it, but I did not dodge quite far enough, and as a consequence the bullet struck the lobe of my ear."

"That was indeed wonderful," I replied, thinking he had been drinking too much and was inclined to boast.

"Yes, sir," the majah went on, "I saw the bullet every foot of the way, and that's how good my eyes were. I'm rather afraid that they are losing their sight, although I saw a bird the other day which was at least flying a mile high."

"Then surely, majah, your eyes must be all right. You are the only man I ever met who had seen a bullet in its flight."

"But maybe you don't believe my statement, colonel," he retorted.

"Why, as you say you saw the bullet I am bound to believe you, although it was a rare thing. I myself have seen cannon balls flying about."

"Yes, sir, I saw that bullet, and the man who says I didn't means to insult me."

"I tried to turn the conversation into other channels, but the majah was obstinate and perverse and would not have it. After a minute or two he said:

"Colonel Venables, I want a direct answer from you. Do you believe the statement I made or do you not?"

"You might have possibly been mistaken, majah," I replied.

"That is enough, colonel," he stidily said as he rose up. "I will send a friend to you, sir."

"There it was plain and straight, and within two hours the details of a duel had been arranged. We met and fought the next morning. The majah was a novice with the rapier, and I could have run him through within a minute. I did not wish him any hurt, however. I let him off with a scratch, and we went our ways. We would probably have been friends again, but within two weeks he caught the typhus fever and within a few days was dead. After about three months a stranger entered my office one day and said that he had come to challenge me with a duel."

"Why, man, I never even saw your face before," I replied.

"But I am a brother of Majah Davis, whom you fought a few months ago. You must give me satisfaction."

"According to the code of honor, if you fought a duel with a man his relatives could take it up as long as they lasted. If the majah's brother thought that any stain had rested upon his record he had a right to challenge me. I selected pistols, and when we met in the grave I sent a ball through his shoulder, and his bullet grazed my hip."

"In about four weeks another stranger entered my office. His name was Davis, and he was a brother to the last one, and he had come upon the same errand. There was no hard feelings. We spoke very pleasantly, and I agreed to accept the challenge from him. I selected rapiers this time, and we wounded each other. He went away home, and I carried my arm in a sling for three or four weeks. Then, sir, came the fourth Davis. He was a brother to the others and a fine spoken man. I could not refuse his request, as he had made a journey of fifty miles to make it. I returned to pistols this time, and I wounded him in the side, and he wounded me above the right knee."

"It was perhaps three months when the fifth Davis brother made his call. When he had introduced himself I was so surprised that I called out:

"Heavens, man, have you come about that old duel?"

"With a smile he replied that he had and that he hoped I would give him early satisfaction."

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Measures Woods Walker and R. J. Walker spent Thursday and Friday at Smithfield Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Logsdon motored down from Brassfield and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Logsdon.

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The bazaar given by the members of the Nickel Club on last Saturday was quite a success. The display of fancy work was exceptionally pretty and everything sold readily.

On account of the inclement weather a very small crowd came out to hear Rev. Clegg's lecture on "Humbly and Meekness", but those who braved the weather felt amply repaid for any inconvenience.

## SYCAMORE VALLEY.

J. H. Clark sold a pair of mules last week to J. A. Simpson for \$200.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pollard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ham Aldridge.

Mrs. Lem Mathews spent a very enjoyable day Friday with Mrs. Simpson.

Mrs. Robt Shearer was the guest of her mother Mrs. A. H. Brown Saturday.

Mrs. Elzina Ray returned home Sunday after a week's visit with Mrs. Will Fain.

Measures Thos Naylor and Maggie Tracey were guests Friday of Mrs. W. N. Grow.

Measures Sim and John Clark visited Mrs. Lucy Huffman at Marksburg, last Monday.

Mrs. Will Whittaker and daughter, were guests of Mrs. John Duncan and family last week.

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Mr. R. C. Clark and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Clark and son Earl, and Miss Ida Hurte spent a very pleasant day Sunday with Mr. Jim Clark and daughters.

Mr. Bradley Long, who has been under treatment of a specialist in Lexington for several months, made another trip to that city last Saturday. To the delight of his mother and many friends the doctor pronounced his condition wonderfully improved.

## Colds

should be "nipped in the bud", for if allowed to run unchecked, serious results may follow. Numerous cases of consumption, pneumonia, and other fatal diseases, can be traced back to a cold. At the first sign of a cold, protect yourself by thoroughly cleansing your system with a few doses of

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Mr. Chas. A. Ragland, of Madison Heights, Va., says: "I have been using Theodor's Black-Draught for stomach troubles, indigestion, and colds, and find it to be the very best medicine I ever used. It makes an old man feel like a young one." Insist on Theodor's, the original and genuine. E-67



**Startling Preference.**  
Forrest had just started to school and was shy toward his teacher, so she suggested a lesson about a dog and encouraged to get some expression from him. She talked about the dog in the picture, told him that she liked a big, curly, black dog best, and then asked what kind of dog he liked best. She was considerably surprised when he answered, "Green ones."

**Mechanics in Medicine.**  
The value of mechanics in medicine has been amply demonstrated and the science of healing is coming to regard with increasing favor the aid of forces by mechanical devices. The physician, in private practice, finds it impossible to meet the advance made by institutions and the result is that the office of the modern physician is coming more and more to resemble a machine shop, just as the hospitals and sanitariums are being gradually converted into health factories.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND.

GARRARD CIRCUIT COURT.  
E. J. Thistler, et al. Plaintiffs  
VS.  
H. C. Ruble, et al. Defendants  
and Consolidated Cases  
G. W. Calleb's Adm'r et al. Plffs.  
VS.  
Dora Calleb's et al. Defts.

Pursuant to a judgment of the Garrard Circuit Court, rendered at the November Term 1916, the undersigned Commissioner will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, on the premises near Buena Vista and about four and one half miles from Bryantville Ky., at 2 o'clock P. M. or thereabouts on

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1916,**  
the real estate mentioned in the pleadings and described as follows:  
An Garrard County, Ky., at Buena Vista, beginning at an ash stump, line of J. W. Scott, a corner to H. S. Smith now Poor, on the land now herein conveyed; thence N 89° W 97.7 poles to a stone in the line of H. S. Smith, now Poor, a corner to Margaret Robinson; thence N 125 poles to a stone in the old Harrodsburg Dirt Road; thence 63 1/2 E 10.4 poles to the Bryantville and Cane Run Turnpike Road; thence N 62 E 31 1/2 poles; thence N 68 E 41 1/2 poles N 80 E 15 1/2 poles to the Northwest corner of the Methodist parsonage, but directly opposite Northwest corner of store room, on the Bryantville and Cane Run Turnpike Road; thence S 80 E 2 1/2 poles S 52 W 1 pole; thence S 8 E 1 pole; thence N 80 E 11 poles; thence S 78 poles to the center of the Bryantville and Fork Dirt Road, corner to the land conveyed by C. J. Spillman to J. C. England; thence S 2 1/2 W 27 poles to the beginning, containing 93 1/2 acres.  
The purpose of this sale is to satisfy the debts of E. J. Thistler for \$1861.48 with interest at 6 per cent. from Jan. 1, 1915, also debt of Citizens Bank of Murphysburg Ky for \$1861.48 with interest at 6 per cent from Jan. 1st 1916, also the debt of Lena Fuller for \$1861.48 with interest at 6 per cent from Jan. 1st, 1916, until paid, and the further purpose to settle the estate of G. W. Calleb, deceased, and pay the cost of this action.

### TERMS.

The property will be sold on a credit of six and twelve months and the purchaser will be required to execute bonds with approved security, due in six and twelve months respectively, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, having the force and effect of a judgment upon which execution may issue, payable to W. H. Brown, Master Commissioner of the Garrard Circuit Court, and a lien will be reserved upon the property sold until all the purchase money is paid.

W. H. BROWN, M. C. G. C. C.



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## SECRETARY BAKER LIKES RED CROSS SEAL IDEA

**Wants His Children to Become Part-ners in Anti-Tuberculosis Fight.**

Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, is an enthusiast in the use of Red Cross Christmas Seals. A year ago, when he was still Mayor of Cleveland, he wrote to the Anti-Tuberculosis League of that city as follows:

"I enclose my check for \$1.75 for this year's Seals and also my order for Seals for 1916. No other one thing means so much to life, health and happiness of the people of Cleveland as the fight against tuberculosis. The League is offering a great privilege to the people of Cleveland in giving them this opportunity to join their forces in a great cause.

"Please send twenty-five Seals to each of my children. Address them Betty, Jack and Peggy Baker, respectively, at my house, 1851 Crawford Road. I want them each to put seals on each of their Christmas presents so that they will learn that they, too, are partners in the community burden and share the community opportunity."

Have you bought your Red Cross Seals and shouldered thereby your share of the community burden and opportunity?

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND.

GARRARD CIRCUIT COURT.

Adrian Metcalf's Adm'r. Plaintiff.  
VS.  
Adrian Metcalf's Hrs. et al. Defts.  
and  
A. Smith, Plaintiff.  
VS.  
Louise Louis, et al. Defendants.  
(Consolidated Cases).

Pursuant to a judgment rendered at the November Term, 1916, the undersigned Commissioner will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder before the Court House door in Lancaster, Ky., at 11 o'clock, A. M. or thereabouts, on

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 25th, 1916,**  
it being the first day of the Garrard County Court Term the real estate mentioned in the pleadings and described as follows:

In Garrard County, Kentucky, on the waters of White Lick Creek and is in three different tracts, which are described as follows:

1st Tract: Beginning at a stone in line to Parker Anderson and Jonathan Creech; thence with Creech S 86 1/2 E 13.65 chains S 65 E 1 chain to a stake, corner to same, N 89 E 2.25 chains to a point in a bluff N 92 E 4.06 chains to the edge of the cliff S 45 1/2 E 5.08 chains to a stake and corner to same, and Parker Anderson; thence with his line S 77 1/2 W 10.05 chains to a point in branch; thence on same and with its meanders S 34 E 8 chains to a point in said branch and corner to same; thence leaving said branch N 87 1/2 W 11.82 chains to an ash, corner to same, N 7 1/2 E 13.08 chains to the beginning, containing 20.95 acres.

2nd Tract: Beginning at a stake in White Lick Creek, corner to John Davis; thence down said creek N 34 W 24.90 poles, N 2 1/2 W 20 poles N 65 W 42 poles to a stake in said creek, corner to Fred Yeakey and the Best Heirs, S 77 1/2 W 74 poles to a stake in McCormick Branch; thence up said branch with its meanders S 4 E 20 poles S 32 E 33.30 poles to a stake in the branch, N 59 W 47 poles to a small ash, corner to Elias Smith, S 82 W 30 poles to a stake, corner to J. R. Creech; thence with said Creech the following courses and distances S 16 W 48.60 poles S 45 E 1 pole S 71 E 5 poles N 87 E 69 poles to a black walnut corner to same, S 77 E 8 poles to a point in branch; thence up said branch S 11 E 15 poles S 4 E 9 poles S 1 W 10 poles S 25 W 7.28 poles to a stake corner to John Creech and John Davis; thence with said Davis N 89 E 85 1/2 poles to the beginning, containing in tracts Nos 1 and 2, the said two tracts adjoining, about 100 acres.

3rd Tract: Is the one half of a 37 acre tract of knob land conveyed to Wm. Higginbotham's heirs by Commissioner's deed bearing date August 10, 1893, and recorded in the Clerk's office of Garrard County in Deed Book No. 6, at page 458, and the boundary of the whole tract is as follows: Beginning at the corner of the dower; thence with the dower line S 35 E 75 poles to a white oak, corner to dower, N 55 1/2 E 82.25 poles to a white oak, corner to the old dower line, N 25 W 73 poles to 2 young chestnut oaks, corner to Holcomb S 53 W 82 1/2 poles to the beginning, containing 37 acres to be equally divided, line commencing on Holcomb's line running S 35 E to the back line or outside line of Holcomb tract, the half of same that joins the widow's dower is the half belonging to the grantors herein, there is however, to be deducted from the Adrian Metcalf tract six acres that have heretofore been deeded and conveyed by the deceased Adrian Metcalf to J. R. Creech by deed dated—day of—19—, and recorded in the Garrard County Clerk's office in Deed Book—, page—.

Tract No. 1 and No. 2, will be sold together and tract No. 3 will be sold separately.

The purpose of the sale is to settle the estate of Adrian Metcalf, deceased.

### TERMS:

The property will be sold upon a credit of six and twelve months and the purchaser or purchasers will be required to execute bond with approved security for the purchase money, due in six and twelve months respectively, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from date until paid, having the force and effect of a judgment, upon which execution may issue, payable to W. H. Brown, Master Commissioner of the Garrard Circuit Court and a lien will be reserved upon the property sold until all the purchase money is paid.

W. H. BROWN, M. C. G. C. C.  
J. E. Robinson, Att'y for Plff.

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**For Sale**—A few more extra nice Single Comb White Leghorn roosters.

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**FOR SALE**—Mr. W. D. Walker has some nice White Leghorn roosters he will sell you worth the money.

**Lost**—On October Court day I laid a raincoat in a buggy, on the public square thru mistake. Liberal reward if returned to J. M. Wheeler, 12-7, Lancaster Ky, Route 1.

Free, a lot of wood to any one who will haul while ground is firm. D. W. Estes.

**FOR SALE**—A Keenwood Stump puller. Good as new and will sell cheap. 12-14-31. Ollie Johnson.

**FOR SALE**—Extra good yearling mare mule. W. L. King, 12-14-31. Paint Lick, Route 3.

For Sale.

Good two room cottage on Grant property. Must be moved at once or torn down. H. D. Elmore.

**For Sale**—Sow and pigs and 17 shoats 11-31. T. W. Conn.

**For Sale**—One Jersey cow and calf; also two good cows, will be fresh in a few days. S. G. Haselden, 12-14-31.

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John Henry, a man servant, with nothing to do, ..... Morris Todd.  
Seizer, a constable, used to take away bad effects, ..... Logan West.  
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Daisy, her daughter, both affected with love, ..... Mabel Hall.  
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